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**After Final Response under 37 CFR 1.116**  
**Expedited Procedure****Examining Group 3728****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

PETER AR-FU LAM

Serial No. 10/044,685

Filed: 01/11/02

For: Garment Hanger Retail  
PackageHon. Commissioner of Patents  
and TrademarksExaminer:  
David T. Fidei

Group: 3728

Docket: B7HTAG

December 29, 2005

Sir,

In response to the Advisory Action dated 11/29/2005, the applicant respectfully requested the examiner to clarify a technical confusion as stated below:

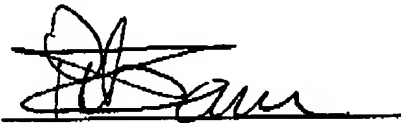
The advisory notice indicated the allowed claims are 10-17, 28, instead of the claims 10-21 originally allowed in the final office action dated 09/02/2005. Reversing the allowed claims 18 to 21 is a new ground of rejection which requires the final status of the final office action dated 09/02/2005 to be withdrawn, so as to provide the applicant an opportunity to provide response to the new ground of rejection before this new ground of rejection is made final.

After clarifying this point, the applicant also requests the examiner to help correcting the objected claims of the final office action dated 09/02/2005 into

allowable form pursuant to MPEP 707.07(j); and to provide a notice of allowance for the allowed subject matters.

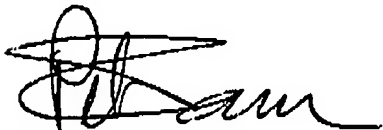
Per the informal discussion between the examiner and the applicant, the applicant will follow the recommendation of the examiner to file a continuation-in-part application for the other rejected claims.

Respectfully submitted,



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